

## Alexandria Gazette

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 12.

## LOCAL MATTERS

For this section rain, stationary temperature, southerly winds.

## CITY COUNCIL.

The last regular meeting of the present City Council was held last night.

## THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Shortly after the Aldermen had been called to order, the credentials of George H. Hinken, esq., elected to fill the unexpired term of Alderman John R. Lambdin, from the Third ward, were presented, and Mr. Hinken being present, advanced to the President's desk, was sworn in and took his seat as a member of the board.

Mr. McKenzie offered a resolution directing the Finance Committee to accept the proposition offered by General Wells, counsel for the government in regard to the division of the proceeds from the sale of the Alexandria Canal property. The case, he said, had been appealed, and between the lawyers and courts nothing would be left. The city had better take all it could get while there is something to divide.

Mr. Burke favored the resolution, but suggested that General Wells' name be omitted. The latter had merely suggested such a proposition. Would it not be better to so word the resolution as to direct the committee to make the best settlement possible.

Mr. Marbury thought it would be more proper to let the committee arrange the matter without passing such resolution.

Mr. McKenzie insisted that the resolution was necessary, and it was accordingly passed.

Mr. Bryant, from the Committee on Streets, introduced an ordinance prohibiting the American Postal Telegraph Cable Company from erecting poles in front of property where the holder objected, and said he had been called upon by Mr. W. A. Smoot who had told him the poles in front of his premises on Union street would prove a serious inconvenience to his business. Debate followed, and the ordinance was finally referred to the Committee on Streets.

A number of papers which had been acted on by the Common Council were received from that board and their action concurred in, among them a resolution providing that when Council adjourns it be to meet on the 4th Tuesday in June.

The lower board returned the resolution in regard to the division of the proceeds from the sale of the Alexandria Canal, referring the same to the Committee on Finance, which action the Aldermen concurred in, after which the board adjourned.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

The Common Council was later in gathering, last night, than the board of Aldermen. Messrs. W. S. and C. A. Moore, Alchison, Snowden, Fisher, Corbett and Strider, with President Sweeney assembled shortly after 8 o'clock, eight men and eight o'clock, but no quorum. It is said that it takes eight men to milk a bear, but nine is required to make a quorum in the Common Council; so there was no quorum. The west side of the chamber was nearly full, but of the 3rd and 4th ward members who sit opposite only one appeared. The seven sat on one side and looked at the solitary man in the east for some time. At last a happy thought struck eight men at once. Mr. Hinken, a member of Council, had sent his resignation to the Common Council and been sworn in at the other end of the building as Alderman. He had evidently gotten into one board without getting out of the other, as Council had not yet received his resignation, and was a member of both the Aldermen and of the Council at the same time. Here was a happy expedient to get a quorum. The Clerk went after Alderman Hinken and found him in his seat at the upper board, but he came promptly, and, as Councilman Hinken, made up a quorum in the lower board, which thereupon proceeded to dispatch the business found in the official proceedings and resolved to meet again on the 4th Tuesday in June. Then Mr. Hinken tendered his resignation and it was accepted, and he went back to the Board of Aldermen. Mr. Corbett also left in order to reach Washington by the 9:20 train, but these departures did not diminish the number of members of the board. "Once a quorum, always a quorum." President Sweeney did not put on his spectacles and never counted the sitting members, and so the board concurred in the business sent in by the Aldermen and then adjourned.

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.**—The present County Board of Supervisors met for the last time yesterday. Various accounts were presented and the officers' salaries to the close of the fiscal year were ordered to be paid. Relative to the application of N. Segmuller for a new road, an appropriation of \$150 was ordered and the clerk was directed to certify the same to the County Court. The clerk was directed to advertise in the GAZETTE for plans, specifications and proposals for two bridges over Four Mile Run, one on the Carlin's Spring road and the other at Wilson's Crossing. J. N. Tanson was unanimously elected road overseer of Jefferson district. P. T. Birch was directed to take no action in regard to removing fence posts on Columbia pike to Ball's Cross Roads. The Treasurer was authorized to place to the credit of the county school fund 35 per cent of the money arising from the sale of delinquent lands, 50 per cent to the county fund and the balance the remaining 15 per cent, equally among the three road district funds. The board passed resolutions of thanks to Chairman A. B. Grunwell and clerk H. H. Young for the faithful and efficient manner in which they had discharged the duties of their respective offices, to which resolutions Messrs. Grunwell and Young appropriately responded. The board then adjourned sine die.

**SHIP.**—The suit of the Inland and Coastwise Transportation Company against the Baltimore steamer Henry Bishop was sent back by the judge to the District of Columbia Court, Judge James, for full preparation and hearing, and at the District Court yesterday the hearing took place, and Judge James decided that there had been no such failure shown in the running of the steamer Henry Bishop to Cedar Point under its charter as authorized the Inland Company to abandon the charter, and he, therefore, held them responsible for the pay of the steamer Henry Bishop daily until the end of the season of 1887 under the charter. The Inland Company dropped the use of the Henry Bishop some time before the close of her charter season, in 1887, on the allegation that her speed, etc., had been misrepresented, and they entered also a libel against the steamer Bishop for damages. The owners of the Bishop filed a cross libel for the charter money. Judge James yesterday dismissed the libel and sustains the cross libel. The case will go again to the General Term before the litigation is concluded.

**DEATH OF MR. HENRY HERBER.**—Mr. Henry Herber, a well known citizen and saloon keeper of this city, died suddenly at his home on King street, shortly after midnight last night of apoplexy, aged 60 years. Mr. Herber had attended the Red Men's excursion to Marshall Hall yesterday, and returned about 12 o'clock last night in apparently good health. After going into his saloon to see that everything was right for the night, he went up stairs and laid on a sofa. In a few moments he called for his wife and rolled off the sofa to the floor, dying almost immediately. Mr. Herber was born in Germany and came to this city in 1842 and had resided here ever since. His funeral will take place on Friday morning next at 9 o'clock and his remains will be borne to the cemetery on the horse carriage of the Friendship Fire Company of which he was a member. The company will meet to night to make arrangements for attending the funeral.

**PERSONAL.**—Mrs. J. H. Maddox has gone to Pope's Creek, Md., to spend the summer. Mr. Clarence Wheat is still critically ill at his home on north St. Asaph street. Rev. T. B. Shepherd, of Warren county, will preach at the Baptist Church to night. Services there every night this week. Miss Elith Baldwin, of Richmond, is visiting her grand father, Mr. W. N. McVeigh. Hon. J. S. Barbour, who is in New York attending the meeting of the national democratic committee, said to a Sun reporter last night that his State would vote the democratic ticket, no matter what the platform was. Mr. Barbour was pleased at the action of President Harrison in carefully treasuring up the fat places in the bosom of his big family. He thought that this would hurt the republican party, and consequently bring votes to the democrats.

**CORPORATION COURT.**—Judge J. K. M. Norton presiding. [Continuation of yesterday's proceedings.] Com. vs. Thos. Reynolds; indictment for grand larceny; jury and verdict of guilty and penalty fixed at 30 days in jail.

Com. vs. Jno. Magruder, indictment for grand larceny; jury and verdict of guilty and penalty fixed at one year in the penitentiary.

**TO-DAY.**—John Lyons, of Richmond, was admitted to practice in this Court. Armstrong vs. Kintz; motion for continuance denied.

Com. vs. Belew, indictment for being accessory to a murder after the fact; jury and verdict of not guilty.

Com. vs. Bertie McIntosh; indicted for infanticide; jury and verdict of not guilty.

The grand jury returned into Court with out making any presentments, and were adjourned till to-morrow morning.

**POLICE REPORT.**—Last night was cloudy and rainy with two prisoners and eight lodgers at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases:

Edward Payne, colored, arrested by officer Davis for an assault on Isaiah Boies, also colored, was dismissed for want of evidence.

Thos. Johnson, arrested by officer Davis for disorderly conduct, was discharged with a reprimand.

A family, consisting of man, wife and two children, hailing from Johnston, were among the lodgers at the station house last night. They narrated some of the details of the recent flood.

**BOARD OF TRADE.**—The monthly meeting of the directors of the Board of Trade was held at their new rooms in Pa'll's building last night. The subject of the advantages to Alexandria which would arise if a branch road were built from the Point of Rocks to Leesburg, by which coal from Cumberland could be brought to this city via the W. & O. road, were discussed, but no action was taken. The complaint of Messrs. Charles King & Son that heavy goods were carried from Richmond to Charlottesville for six cents per hundred less than from Richmond to this city, was referred to the committee on railroads.

**THE FAUQUIER TRAGEDY.**—Mr. E. P. Turner, one of the principals in the late tragedy in Fauquier, and whose arrest and examination before Magistrates Foster and Kincheloe has been mentioned, was yesterday put in charge of a constable to be taken to jail in Warrenton, but having secured a physician's certificate he was released on bail. As yet he has allowed no one to examine his wound, and it is supposed to be only a temporary trouble. The statement published in some of the morning papers that Mr. Turner had died yesterday was without foundation.

**CASE CONTINUED.**—Mr. Geo. R. Shinn went to Fredericksburg yesterday to answer the indictment found against him, in the Corporation Court of that city at its May term, for selling coupons without having obtained a special license therefor, and on the case being called to-day, it was further continued to the November term of the court, Mr. Shinn renewing his recognizance to that date.

**FOOT MASHED.**—Mr. E. C. Peyton, a brickman on the Midland Railroad this morning, while arranging a switch at Edsall's, a short distance west of this city, was so unfortunate as to have the switch block fall on his right foot, painfully injuring him. He was brought to his home on Fayette street, where he received surgical attention.

**THE ELECTRIC LIGHT.**—Mr. Selden, of the Schuyler Electric Light Company, was in the city to-day. He says his men will in a day or two commence laying out a circuit of the city through which the lines will pass, and that as soon as the poles, which have been contracted for, arrive they will be put up and the wires strung.

If disease has entered the system the only way to drive it out is to purify and enrich the blood. To this end, as acknowledged by all medical men, nothing is better adapted than iron. The fault hitherto has been that iron could not be so prepared as to be absolutely harmless to the teeth. This difficulty has been overcome by the Brown Chemical Company of Baltimore, Md., who offer their Brown's Iron Bitters as a faultless iron preparation, a positive cure for dyspepsia, indigestion, kidney trouble, etc.

**THAT HACKING COUGH** can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

I HAVE been deaf in one ear ten years, and partially deaf in the other for two months, have been treated by ear specialists and received no benefit. Having used Ely's Cream Balm for about a month I find myself greatly improved, and can hear well, and consider it a most valuable remedy. I had also nasal catarrh, with dropping of mucus into my throat and pain over my eyes, which troubles also have entirely disappeared.—[D. B. Yates, Upper Lisle, Broome co., N. Y.]

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**25 BOXES FRANK SIDDALL'S SOAP** in store and for sale by W. A. JOHNSON & CO.

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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Strawberries are gradually disappearing. Mr. Wilkerson Hunter, a well known citizen, died in this city to day.

The Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad expect to reach Fredericksburg to night. This will make through connection between Richmond and Washington.

During the week services will be held in the Baptist Church nightly, at which addresses will be delivered instructive and interesting. A cordial invitation has been extended to all to attend as it is hoped the services will be productive of much good.

The Mission continues at Grace Church and Mr. Nelson preached last night, a good sermon, to a large congregation. The singing is excellent and is rendered during some of the services by the Chapter of Praise, a musical organization from St. Paul's Church in this city.

There was another storm about 3 o'clock this morning during which rain fell in torrents, the lightning was very vivid and the thunder heavy. Rain has also fallen during the greater part of the day.

The transfer of the Irwin property at the corner of Prince and Alfred streets was made to-day, through Mr. F. Huffy, real estate agent, to Capt. H. Bryant. The consideration named is \$5,500.

During the thunder storm yesterday evening the yoke of the cradle of the ways at the ship yard was struck by lightning, but only slight damage was done.

A lady from Arlington who came here from Washington on the 10th inst. last, was run over by a cab at the local depot and badly bruised. J. D. Beach has sold to J. C. Burke a house and lot on the east side of Royal street, between Queen and Princess, for \$700.

The Y. M. C. A. last night donated \$10 to the association at Johnston.

## A Woman's Discovery.

"Another wonderful discovery has been made and that, too, by a lady in this country. Disease fastened its clutches upon her, and for seven years she withstood its severest tests; but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she convalesced incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and was so much relieved on taking the first dose that she slept all night, and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther L. King. She writes W. C. Hamrick & Co., of Shelby, N. C."

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**Boycotting** is odious, and has been condemned even by those who at one time sought to injure their neighbors by its application, and at this late date it is calculated to bring odium upon any who attempt it. Now, it may be all right for the clerks to have more time to themselves, but because a man won't accede to their views it is all wrong that they should attempt to boycott him for assiduously attending to his own business, in his own way, and to no injury to his neighbors.

**At a meeting** of clerks held at 413 King street, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas a number of merchants of this city agreed to close their places of business at 6 p. m. from June 3d, 1889, to September 15th, 1889, Saturdays excepted, in order to allow their employees a few hours' recreation during the heated term; and whereas the compact has been and would be faithfully kept by all the signers except B. Kaufmann; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the employees, condemn and deplore the action of the said B. Kaufmann in first signing and then breaking the agreement.

Resolved, That we request the good people of Alexandria to put their seal of condemnation upon the action which has caused the employees to be deprived of this great boon by refraining from shopping after six.

Resolved, That we request our friends to show their appreciation of the liberality of the majority of the merchants by patronizing those who are in favor of early closing.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in both of the daily papers.

Jno. T. JOHNSON, Chairman. Jell 1w

T. W. STAPLES, Secretary.

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